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NEW YORK EDITOR SWEARS TO OFFER OF**\$**100,000 BRIBE

Subsidy Interests Wanted to Influence Legislation.

STATEMENTTOCONGRESS

No Names Mentioned in Connection with the Case.

W. Bodsworth, of the New York Journal of Commerce, Tells How Tail Man, Well Dressed, Tried to Secure Publication of Prepared Articles-Members of the Committee Ask Numerous Questions.

Alfred Warren Dodsworth, editor and business manager of the New York Journal of Commerce, yesterday told the Olcott special committee which is inquiring into the ship subsidy scandal how he was offered a bribe of \$100,000 to editorially indorse the subsidy scheme.

BRIBE OFFER MADE. About six years ago, according to Mr Desisworth, a man entered his office in New York and informed him that he had a proposition to make. He desired, he said, to make arrangements for an insection in the Journal of Commerce of an article favorable to subsidy legisla-tion, that he wished to secure 1,000,000 copies of the paper carrying the article, and that if he could make an agreement with Mr. Dodsworth along the lines indirated the people he represented were

Mr. Dodsworth's visitor declared that beck for \$10,000 in ten minutes, to bind the bargain, the balance of the \$100,000 to be turned over immediately following the publication. Mr. Dodsworth said be at once telephoned for his brother, Editor John Dodsworth, in whose presence the stranger repeated the terms of the

Identity of Briber Ciknows continuing his story in response to ou strong, Mr. Nortsworth told the com-eliter that his caller oil not disclose his identity, nor had Mr. Dods-worth ever been able to ascertain who the man was. The stranger had de-lined to give his name or make known them he represented until Mr. Dods Thir was not the only time, according Mr. Dodsworth, that an effort had con made to corrupt the Journal of commerce in connection with subsidy gislation. Two years ago, according to

Mr. Dodsworth, another man, who als refused to tell who he was or who h Continued on Page 4. Column 3.

PALLBEARERS SELECTED

at 2 o'clock on Priday afternoon in St. George's Church, Rishop Greer officiating. male choir of sixte a voices will sing idge, Joseph H. Sears, Robert W. Cham-bers, Arthur W. Little, George Horacs Leriner, Otto Carmichael, John O'Hara serave and Samuel C. Blythe

is expected that the coffin will be oft for a time in the receiving vault or the Marble Cemetery, 59 Second street,

Goldsborough's body was sent to Wash ington at midnight Tuesday. Miss Julia Goldsborough, an ider sister, and an uncle, Arthur Goldsborough, left for Washington this morning, taking with them a few of Goldsborough's belongings. John Farr, a cousin, living at 16 Lexing-ton avenue, said to-day that neither be nor any of the Goldsborough family had any of the Goussoerough lamity may light on the real reason for the sting. He said that the family was, ourse, deeply grieved. None of them ever felt any animosity toward of course, deeply grieved. None of had ever felt any animosity

Mrs, Prevert said that her brother had not known Puillips. "If he had known him," she said, "I am certain I would have known it."

TOTHER OF DEAD AUTHOR

NOTIFIED OF THE TRAGEDY Angeles, Jan. 22.- Graham paid a debt that we all must finally pay, said Mrs. Margaret Jane Phillips, mother of David Graham Phillips, when notified of er son's death to-day. Because of her frail health, the news was not broken her last night, and she went to bed beleving he was gaining ground.

"I am going to try not to worry," said the aged woman to-day, "but it is a great shock. Graham was a good boy and would have visited me in the spring I wanted him to comes and he wrote me a short time ago that he would do so." While Mrs. Phillips talked about her

While Mrs. Phillips talked about her son she could not keep back the tears, though she tried to be brave. She told of sacrifices she made to give all her children an education-regarding that as one of the first duties of parents—and of her son's life in Indiana and his love for reading and writing.

Mrs. Phillips came to Los Angeles four years ago from Madison, Ind., the widow of a banker. She has been suffering from a severe cold, but is improving how.

"Aida," Lyrie Thester, Baltimere, Chicago Opera Co., Thursday, Jan. Train leaves Union Sta. 7:00 p. m., Baltimore & Chio R. R., running ough to Mt. Royal Sta., opposite ater, Returning, leave Mt. Royal at 11:23 p. m., after the performance, For tickets and full information on T. Arthur Smith, 1411 F st. nw.

DIVORCED BY DEATH.

Aged Husband Expires While Seeking Legal Separation.

Utica, N. Y., Jan. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. James Aldrich, lifelong residents of Utica, went to the City Court late this Citica, went to the City Court late this afternoon for the purpose of obtaining a legal separation. They were informed that such an action could not be commenced in that court, and Mrs. Aldrich, accompanied by one of her daughters, then went to the office of an attorney. The husband walted in the City Cour

The separation was granted during he absence, but my by an earthly court.

Mr. Aldrich was stricken with heart disease shortly after his wife had left him. He fell upon the floor of the court and died before medical aid could be

summoned.

Mrs. Aldrich was talking with an attorney in a downtown office about her husband, when word came, summoning her to the City Court. She hurried back to the court, When she opened the door the lifeless body of her husband met her gaze. The woman collapsed.

LAWYER BEATEN UP

Deputy Sheriff Held for Attack on R. C. L. Moncure.

OUTCOME OF SUIT IN COURT

Ritterness Engendered During Suit to Break Will of Henry I. Offutt Results in Arrest of Peyton Whalen, Joseph Whalen, and Joshua T Offatt for Assault in Rockville.

As a result of bitter feeling engendered during the hearing of the suit to break the will of Franklin I. Offutt, on trial before a jury in the Rockville Circuit Court R. C. L. Moncure, of Rosslyn, Va., one of the attorneys for the plaintiffs, was attacked while leaving the courthous yesterday afternoon and badly by Peyton Whalen, deputy sh by Peyton Whalen, deputy sheriff of Montgomery County; Joe Whalen, his brother, and Joshua T. Offutt.

Rockville, occurring as it did immediately in front of the courthouse at an hour when the streets were well filled with pedestrians and being the outcome of a suit that has attracted an unusual de

f one eye. The Whalen brothers and Offutt were Arrested early last night by Sheriff Viett and held in bonds of \$500, charged with assault with intent to kill. The arrest of a chief deputy by a sheriff is said to be without precedent in Montgomery County.

DEMAND NATIONAL BREAD STANDARD

English Physicians to Safeguard Public Health.

London, Jan. 26-Following a newspaper discussion of the superior nutritiveness of bread made from whole meal FOR PHILLIPS FUNERAL from compared with that made from the white four, eight physicians and surgeons, including Dr. Sir Alfred Fripp, for David Graham Phillips will be held at 2 o'clock on Friday afternoon in St. others of equal eminence, have issued a others of equal eminence, have issued a precaution was jointly signed statement expressing the appearance a secret up to to-n miss Arnold is a niece of the United tive value of what is sold as bread, the same as is already done for milk,

The standardization of bread, however, the more important, as it forms about we-fifths of the weight of the food of in he working classes. They add: "In view th of the inferior neurishing qualities of he white bread commonly sold, we urge egislation making it compulsory it bread sold as such should be I wheat floor, containing at bast S net ent of whole wheat, including the gerr

AS YOU LIKE IT.

Now that Mand Adams has scored in "Chantecler," all the paragraphers, humorists, near-humorists, and a few others not classified will get busy pounding out REMAINS FOUND squibs about the show.

Some will say the success is worth crowing about And, perhaps, some others may go bit cocky" over the success of th

Our sentiments, eggractly.

As a parting caragraph on the subject, the Teb Not to say a word about the critic

interpretation of her role. As you may suppose, we were jus "laying" for this opportunity. The paragraphs were in cold storage, so to speak SAYS THE SAGE OF FOGGY BOT-"What did the country do for

created? alled in on the recent New York transity

en before the office boys' job was

STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL Brookland-We can't print the Decla ation of Independence in this ¼ column without the signatures of 10,000 petitioners.

if he has the Wright machine. - We've asked our aeronautical editor. He knows

WILL THE ELEPHANT EAT THE HAY?



Wireless Report of Accident on Gunboat Not Confirmed.

York, Jan. S .- Rumors reached the fr. Dedsworth's visitor declared that suit that has attracted an unusual dependence of the promise prepresented responsible people, and gree of attention, owing to the promise and the first of the promise of the principals in the case.

Moneure was brought to this city, where he was placed under the care of Dr. H. Clifton King. H2 K street, suffering from a badly injured eye, a broken nose, and numerous cuts and abrasions about the head. Moneure is said to be in danger of losing the sight of the Brooklyn Navy Yard it was of one telephened for his brother, Edisaid that nothing at all had been heard

IN STRANGE WAY

Well-connected New York Girl Has Disappeared.

New York, Jan. 25.-Miss Dorothy N C. Arnold, twenty-five years old, a graduate of Bryn Mawr College in the class t 196, and a daughter of Francis R Arnold, an importer of perfumes, left her home at 108 East Seventy-ninth street in the forenoon of December 11 to but an evening gown. She has never re-turned, and has not been found, although Deputy Police Commissioner Plynn's best men, the Pinkertons, and other de-tectives have been searching over since Precaution was taken to keep her distice Peckham, of the United States Su

tice Peckham, of the United States Supreme Court, her father being a brother of Mrs. Peckham. She has lived in New York all her life and has many friends. After following up every possible line in their search for the young woman, it has the either became mentally unbalanced without warning, and wandered away, or else that she met with foul play. They had done everything that could be fone in search for a missing person.

On the morning of December 12, Miss Arnold went out about 11:20 a. m., and has not been heard from since.

So far as it is learned, she had only 20 or 230 in her handbag. She had an allowance of \$100 a month, but the only money she had with her was what removed the search of the search of

money she had with her was what re-mained of \$56 she had drawn out of the bank the Thursday previous to her disappearance.

AFTER 85 YEARS

Famous Scotch Explorer Was Killed in Africa in 1826.

Paris, Jan. 25.-The remains of Alexander Gordon Laing, who disappeared in 1826, have been found near Timibuctoo, Africa He was a famous Scotch explorer. He was born in 1794. He had Little damage was caused. been murdered and his body buried at the foot of a tree, says the French offiwho discovered the body.

Ottawa, Ontario, Jan. 25.-Dispatches re ceived here this afternoon state that Gow-ganda, Ontario, was almost completely destroyed by fire at noon to-day The Canadian Bank of Commerce was burned out, but the books and money were

American Held as Hotel Thief. Dayton, Ohio, was arrested at the Nice race course to-day on the charge of be-ing a hotel thief. A search of his room revealed an array of burgiar, pickpocket, and card sharping outfits. It is said that he is wanted in San Francisco, Berlin, New York, and London.

Artistic Fiscal Decorations Hat, Chamber, Olecet, in Bullymore ited by Biackistone 18th & H. uv. To-day 2:16; Columbia Theater, 20 to

RUMOR OF EXPLOSION. SCHENK JURY OUT; **FAILING TO AGREE**

Twelve Men Deliberate for Six Hours and Are Then Locked Up for the Night.

Wheeling, W. Va., Jan. 25.-At 10 corridor in the building was crowded to clock to-night the jurors in the Schenk its fullest capacity o eace to night the juriors in the schema where the jury state and alled to reach a verifict, and there were called into court by Judge the court room just before the jury rejurian, and after being given the assat turned she gave the impression that a
treftructions to have no conversation with any person conversing the case, they jures filed in to take their seats her

interest in the anticipated verdict was so great that the court room was not only ment at 3.54 o'clock, and just one min-filled to overflowing with spectators, but the courthouse was completely surround-fate of Mrs. Schenk in their hands filed ed with a mass of humanity, numbering out of the court room

were sent to the Stamm Hotel, to be face showed plainly that she was wor-placed under guard for the night. They ried, She clutched nervously at the coat are to report in court to-morrow morn-sleeve of her chief counsel. J. J. P. ng at 9 o'clock for further consideration of the case.

Nothing has been learned as to the senbeen reached. The jury was taken from timent of the jurors or as to the number the courthouse in a closed patrol wagon of ballots taken, although a great many to frevent them from coming in close take resorts were sent out. Prosecutor Handlan finished his argu-

DANVILLE INQUIRY GOVERNOR INVITES TO BE WIDESPREAD WAIFS TO MANSION

Be Asked to Testify.

Danville, Ill., Jan. 3.-The lid is off Danville's election scandal pot.

At 4 o'clock this afternoon the Vermil on County grand jury baued subpoenas or Circuit Judge E. R. E. Kimbrough Circuit Judge Morton Thompson, Mayo Louis Platt, and many other county, distrier, and city officials who have been

elected to office within the last three cears. State's Attorney J. H. Lewman innounced that he would testify. This action is taken to mean that all efforts to stop the inquiry have failed. and that instead of abandoing the investigation the inquisitors will go to the bot-

om of every rumor of vote buying. FIRE BEING INVESTIGATED.

Conv Keart Unable to Account fo Stove's Disappearance. Deputy Fire Marshal Sieb is investigat

ing a fire which occurred yesterday morn-ing in the fruit store conducted by Tony Keart, at 1316 G street northwest. The proprietor told firemen that he wa vaiting on a customer when he was startled by the explosion of a gasolin searched the premise account for its mysterious disappearan

OBITUARY.

David A. Dice. York, Pa., Jan. 25.-David A. Dice, of the best known portrait painters in the country, died suddenly to-day in his home, in this city, shortly after taking his place at the dinner table. He was heart trouble. He was known to pr nal men throughout the country.

Brother Richard Clarke.

Louisville, Jan. 25.—Brother Richard Clarke, the oldest member of the Order onists in the United States, both point of age and service, succumbed paralysis last night at the Sacred

to puralysis that hight at the Sacred Heart Retreat here. Brother Clarke was eighty-one years old sad a native of Martinsburg, W. Va. Pitty-one years ago he entered the Or-der of Passionists at Pittsburg.

Every Official in County Will Hooper, Himselfa Foundling, Holds Unique Reception.

> auguration of Capt. B. W. Hooper, the first Republican governor of Tennessee in over thirty years, was a unique rereption at the governor's mansion here. Carrying out his expressed wishes, guests came in droves, dressed in street clothes. Many wore jerseys, and the tuxedo and swallowtail coats were missing from the men, while the women wore shirt waists in many instances and street gowns in

Capt. Hooper was raised in an orphan asylum near the spot where he was picked up as a foundling. Many little waifs were those present to-day, and were not neglected when the good things to cat were handed out.

The governor's four children, respective ly eight, six, four, and two years of age, with Mrs. Hooper, were promit

POPE MAY QUIT VATICAN. aris Hears Plus Will Leave Ros

During Italian Jubilee. Paris, Jan. 25.—That Pope Plus X w

at Rotce during the Italian jubilee cele ation was the strange story circulate It was even reported that France has

that he would be permitted to reside in the palace at Lourdes while the jubile ony is taking place in Rome, According to the report, his ho as decided no longer to tolerate wha

has decided no longer to tolerate what he regards as the provocations offered by the Italian Free Masons, and he is par-ticularly desirous of leaving Rome during the great celebration, when the attitude of the Free Masons is expected to be paricularly hostile.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For the District of Columbia-Unsettled weather, followed by rain to-day or to-morrow; tomorrow rain; moderate south and southeast winds,

NO FLIGHT MADE.

Wind Delays McCurdy's Start for Havana Until To-day.

Key West, Fla., Jan. 3,-A wind which was too strong to favor a successful centure into the air prevented J. A. D. McCurdy from starting on his flight from Key West to Havana this morning as he had planned. If favorable conditions prevail to-morrow, however, the aviator will take wing at an early hour.

POLICE IN LEAGUE WITH OPIUM TRADE

Letters and Layouts Seized in New York Raids.

FOUR CHINAMEN ARRESTED

eral Investigation - Communications Indicate Widespread and Profitable Traffic in Large Cities with No Fear of Interference.

New York, Jan. 25,-Raiders from the istom-house banged into two opium oints across Seventh avenue from the for their guns, confiscated \$10,000 worth of raw and cooked optum and layouts, and pocketed letters which hinted at the connivance of police officials in several big cities with the opium-selling business Customs Inspectors John W. Moberta Norwood and Harris, who worked up the evidence against the dens at \$344 and 496 Seventh avenue, by purchasing shells of lychee nuts in which cooked opium had been substituted for the meat of the nuts, said at the Federal build-

Had Police Introductions.

spectors Roberts, Murphy, Kyle, Em ett, and Norwood glanced through the letters picked up in No. 496, and reported to the district attorney that it looked to them as if this part of the contraband would bear a good deal of Federal inves-tigation. Chiefs of police in at least three of the largest cities in the country seemed to be on such good terms with a China-man nicknamed "Boston" that they had supplied Boston with letters of introduc-

supplied Boston with letters of introduction.

The letters indicated, they said, that
Boston had nothing to fear from police
interference in Philadelphia, Boston, and
Pittsburg. Bundles of letters and telegrams seemed to show that the business
of selling opium is being carried on extensively in every important city in the
country, and that a company, which
quotes the correct market price every
week and supplies other information,
maintains selling agents in all the big
cities.

ities.

Before Commissioner Shields the prisoners gave their names as Oh Wah, Ku Chung, and Wong Kee, of 5545 Seventh avenue, and Lai Bake, of 46 Seventh ave-nue. The commissioner held them in

nue. The commissioner held them in \$1.50 bail each for examination.

Opium Traffic Widespread. The importance of the raid to the cus ons men was, as they put it, getting a ne on a widespread and enormously profitable traffic in opium, much of it

Boston, Jan. 25.—Supt. William H. Pierce, of the Boston police department, said to-night that he knew nothing what-ever about any letters purporting to be rom the chief of the local police that have

from the chief of the local police that have fallen into the hands of the customs offi-cers in New York. Deputy Supt. William B. Wall said the same thing. Pittsburg, Jan. 25.—On being told to-night that Charlle Boston, a Chinaman under arrest in New York for opium smuggling, had letters from different chiefs of police of the country, Chief of Police McQuaide, of Pittsburg, to-

night said:
"Yes; Hoston has a letter of mine. It is a letter thanking him for sending a present to me and to Mrs. McQunide after a visit he paid to Pittsburg some time since, and there is nothing wrong in connection with the case.

"The Chinaman was here at the head of a Chinese merchants' conventior sort and he called on me. I gave him a police card entitling to go where and at any time in the city. T the only letter Boston can possibly have of mine."

ASHFORD WILL NOT APPEAR BEFORE COMMITTEE MEETING

Municipal Architect Snowden Ashfor said yesterday that he will not attend the meeting of the committee on public of the Chamber of Cor which is investigating certain charges made against the board of education even if invited to do so, as has been re

Mr. Ashford said that he did not think

Mr. Ashford said that he did not think it necessary for him to appear before a committee which, in resolutions presented to them and approved by the committee, disapproved of the Peters bill. He said that he had not made any personal charges against the board of education, as had been accredited to him, but against the general waste in the conduct of the school system.

"I am a member of the committee on public schools of the Board of Trade," Mr. Ashford said, "and I do not think it would do any good for me to appear before a committee of the same character of another organization. The stand taken by me in this school affair is one which simply carries out the opinion of President Taft, as stated by him in his message to Congress. I will not appear before the committee of the Chamber of Commerce, if invited."

Body Found in Rock Creek.

The body of an unidentified white man about forty years old was found floating in Rock Creek about 100 yards north of the M street bridge yesterday morning and taken to the morgue. In a packet was found the name "John J. O'Nelli, 79 R street northwest." Inquiry developed that no man of that name was known there.

SHOOTS BURGLAR DEAD IN KITCHEN OF HIS RESIDENCE

Allen D. Deacon Fires on the Intruder.

HIS BODY AT MORGUE

Identified as George J. Shipley Holding Carpenter's Card.

Slayer Locked Up to Await Action of Coroner's Jury-Police Make Investigation and Find Tracks in Back Yard, Showing Intruder Had One or More Accomplices, Who Fled After Hearing Patal Shot.

Attracted by a noise in the kitchen of his home at 200 Bryant street northeast back end of the Broadway Theater and about 8 o'clock last night and armed with the Metropolitan Opera House this after- a revolver, Allen D. Deason last night noon, arrested four Chinese, who reached shot and instantly killed George J. Shipley, forty years old, living at 22 Eighth

As he opened a rear door Shipley sprang from out of the dark and clutched at lioberts Deason's throat. Throwing him off, Deaand W. P. Murphy and Deputy Officers son fired four shots in rapid succession, all the bullets taking effect in the man's

In the dead man's pocket was found a membership card, issued by Local No. 32, Carpenters and Joiners' Union, of the nuts, said at the Federal building, while they were arraigning their barring the name of George J. Shipley, prisoners before Commissioner Shields, that several letters from police officials to other police chiefs introducing the Chinese proprietor of No. 68 as a "good fellow" had been found and turned year.

Follow me Warfield and Price, of the to the United States district attorney's last leave night and identified the body. Fifth precinct, went to the morgue late last night and identified the body. They claim to have known him for years, and say he was a hard drinker and occasionally got into their hands for slight misdemeanors. He had aved for years at the K street house, with a six-

ter, but had not been at home for about two weeks. He worked at carpentry and in his pockets were found two letters purporting to be requisitions for work from the head of the Bureau of Yards and Docks. The man was unarmed and his mouth was redolent of the fumes of strong

identified the body as that of his uncle.

Heard Strange Sounds. Deason and his family were upstairs when Mrs. Deason heard strange sounds coming from the first floor and asked her husband to investigate. Deason started down stairs unarmed, but his wife recalled him and urged him to

take his pistol. Descending the stairs, Deason stepped a dim gas light was burning overhead. He continued to a door leading into a sort of vestibule at the rear of the This door was locked. With the revolver his right hand, Deason turned the As he did so a man with eyes gleaming fiercely sprang at him and grabbed at

Pointing his revolver at the intruder's breast, Deason fired four times in rapid succession. All the bullets were im-

bedded in the man's body. Shots Attract Neighbor.

keep his wife and a woman friend from seeing the body. The four shots attracted James A. Callan, of 2413 Second stree northeast, Deason's nearest neighbor Callan notified the Tenth precinct brought Lieut, Slattery, Precinct Detective Weber, and several policemen to the house. Shortly afterward Central Office Detectives O'Brien and Springman were on hand. The police found the body just as Mr. Deason had left it. A search was then begun for some means of identification, and the union card was found. to the morgue. Deacon was locked up at the Tenth precinct station for the action of the corner. An inquest

The solitude of the Deacon home is considered inviting to burglars. The only house anywhere neat is the Callan home, about fifty feet away. It is almost sur-rounded by cemeteries, and three tall, spreading oaks cast their shadows around

spreading oaks cast their shadows around the building.

Deason is a collector for a sewing machine company, and is in the habit of taking considerable sums of money home at night. The police theory is that Shipley was acquainted with Deason's habits and expected a good haul.

The inruder is believed to have had one or more accomplices. Mr. Deason said that immediately after the shooting he bought he saw some one disappear over the snow. An investigation over the snow. An investigation the track of a man leading from the country of the saw of the country of the saw ground.

MRS. HENRY A. MORROW DIES

Widow of Gen. Morrow Will Be Burled at Niles, Mich. Mrs. Harry A. Morrow, widow of Gen. Henry A. Morrow, died shortly after midnight this morning at her apart-

of one week, at the age of seventy-two

Portland, Oreg.; Maj. Henry Morrow, of the Judge Advocate General's Depart-ment; Maj. William Morrow, stationed in Porto Rico; Capt. Frank Morrow, of the United States Cavalry: Malcolm Mor-row, of Cleyeland, and one daughter, who narried Capt. Boniface, of the cavalry,

married Capt. Boniface, of the cavalry, and is now in the Philippines, where her husband is stationed, survive.

Maj. Henry Morrow, who is stationed in Washington, and Malcolm Morrow, who will arrive here from Cleveland to-day, will have charge of the funeral arrangements. Mrs. Morrow's body probably will be conveyed to Niles, Rich., to-night, so he buried beside that of her husband.